

Linwood Parent Council

Meeting Minutes of:

Wednesday December 1, 2021 via Teams

Present: Laci McPhee, Cherilyn Reid (teacher), Regine Nuytten (Principal), Megan Reimer, Jody Roy, Chris Santos, Laurie McKnight, Joanna Kroeker, Selena Fritsch, Angela Dunn, Jennifer Carson

Meeting commenced at 6:01 pm

1. Welcome and Introduction of Executive

Regine welcomed everyone and the New Executive introduced themselves.

Laci McPhee- President

Jody Roy-Vice President

Angela Dunn-Treasurer

Jennifer Carson-Secretary

2. Principal's Report

- overgrown garden on East side of the school-plan to have Sage growing for Smudging
- Grades 4/5 taking part in diversity/inclusion workshop
- Coin Drive happening next week for Sam's Holiday Hamper- this will help families in the community including 2-3 Linwood Families.
- There will also be a Food Drive collection for Hampers
- The Auditorium will be the new music room
- Holiday concert will be virtual once again this year, information to be coming out soon
- Regine would like to set up a meeting with council executive to review budget
- Spirit week will run Dec 16-Dec22 just prior to the Winter Break
- Treats for classroom holiday celebrations must be pre-packaged and will be purchased by the school
- There has been a jigger working with students during gym class, has gone really well

3. Treasurer's Report

- Angela met with previous Treasurer Colin Chapnick to discuss council monies.
- we need to have signing authority changed over at the Bank ASAP. Because all cheques require 2 signatures, it is recommended to have at least 3 people (or more) have signing authority.
- Previous years there have been approx. \$2100 provided to the school (set amount per classroom) plus a Wish list option for larger items (ie Nutrition Program, indoor gardens etc)

Current Balance is \$6595.23

4. New Council Business

Discussed Fundraising- how to do this safely with COVID protocols.

The group discussed Farm to school, garden centre options, Raffle options  
The group felt that a Raffle would go over well, easy to work within Covid  
Restrictions however we would need some time to plan properly and obtain a  
permit for a potential Mother's Day/Spring wine or 50/50 raffle.

Motion:

To switch signing Authority at the bank to new Executive

Motioned by Angela Dunn

Seconded by Megan Reimer

**Motion Passed**

Motion

To provide \$200 to school to purchase supplies for Spirit Week/holiday celebrations

Motioned by Laci McPhee

Seconded by Jennifer Carson

**Motion Passed**

**Meeting Adjourned December 1, 2021 @ 6:34 pm**

**Next Meeting January 12, 2022 @ 6:00 pm (postponed until after students return to school  
from remote learning)**